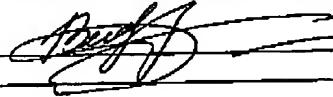


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**AMENDMENT**

This communication is responsive to the Office Action dated 22 February 2006. A Request for Continued Examination is enclosed herewith.

Please amend this application as follows:

- **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- **Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.